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IRS EXAMINATION INTERVIEWS

Examination of ALLISON WATSON, taken on  
behalf of IRS, at 3301 157th Avenue NE,  
Building 11, Redmond, Washington, 98052,  
beginning at 3:01 p.m. and ending at  
5:57 p.m., on September 24, 2014, before  
LAURENE KELLY, Certified Court Reporter  
No. 2835, CRR, RDR, CCP.

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1 Redmond, Washington; September 24, 2014

2 3:01 p.m. - 5:57 p.m.

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4 ALLISON WATSON,  
5 having been first duly sworn, was examined and testified  
6 as follows:

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8 MR. RATCHFORD: Please identify yourselves for  
9 the record.

10 I'm Robert Ratchford on behalf of the  
11 Commissioner.

12 MR. HAXTHAUSEN: Ove Haxthausen.

13 MR. HOORY: Eli Hoory with IRS.

14 MR. KUSNETZKY: Dan Kusnetzky, Kusnetzky  
15 Group.

16 MR. GORDON: John Gordon, Quinn Emanuel, for  
17 the IRS.

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19 MR. RAHIM: Salim Rahim, Baker & McKenzie.

20 THE WITNESS: Allison Watson, Microsoft.

21 MR. O'BRIEN: Jim O'Brien, Baker McKenzie.

22 MS. VLAHOVICH: Molly Vlahovich, Microsoft.

23 MS. OLDAK: Mireille Oldak, Baker & McKenzie.

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25 MR. BERNARD: Mike Bernard with Microsoft.

1 MS. XU: Yu Cindy Xu, IRS.

2 MR. CHOI: Walter Choi, IRS.

3 MR. LaVASSAR: Daniel LaVassar, IRS.

4 MR. YEE: Davis Yee for respondent IRS.

5 MR. RATCHFORD: Did you swear the witness?

6 THE COURT REPORTER: Yes, I did.

7 (Discussion held off the record.)

8 THE WITNESS: I swore.

9 EXAMINATION

10 BY MR. RATCHFORD:

11 Q. Good afternoon. Have you ever given sworn  
12 testimony before?

13 A. No.

14 Q. Okay. A few ground rules: She's taking down  
15 your testimony, and a lot of times and especially in a  
16 conversation, we're sitting across the table, it's very  
17 easy to nod your head, but it's not picked up or may not  
18 be picked up on the transcript, so, if you could just  
19 answer orally.

20 A. Okay.

21 Q. If you don't understand a question, please ask  
22 me to rephrase it or restate it. Is that fair? If you  
23 don't understand what I'm asking.

24 A. Yes.

25 Q. Okay. If you answer the question and don't